

LANDSCAPES—Photomontage #3

Ninepipe...

Ronan/Timber Road to Post Creek Hill

The land: flat, with numerous turtle ponds and lakes dominant...

Ways the land could shape the road: dodge and maintain integrity of turtle ponds and lakes, and restore those that have been divided...

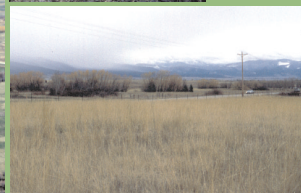


Post Creek Hill...

Ninepipe to Post Creek

The land: on a strongly defined tilted plane... glacial moraine is the dominant feature in the landscape...

Ways the land could shape the road: traverse with the slope of the tilted plane.



St. Ignatius... Post Creek to foot of Ravalli Hill

The land: etched by dendritic (fern-like branching) drainage patterns... sense of broad valley prevails...

Ways the land could shape the road: follow the flow of the land... accentuate dendritic pattern of the streams and natural vegetative patterns that follow the streams...

US 93 DESIGN DISCUSSIONS

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This graphic describes topographic and vegetative features of the Ninepipe, Post Creek Hill, and St. Ignatius landscapes. It also provides recommendations regarding how the road can be shaped to respond to these particular landscapes.